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1. DE LA CIERVA CONFIRMS SEPTEMBER 15 PROGRAMMING DATE.
HE WILLING STAY MINIMUM 22 DAYS TO REDUCE AIRFARE.

2. SUGGEST AS ALTERNATES:

PILAR NERVION - SUBDIRECTOR OF PUEBLO, MADRID DAILY
CARLO NADAL - INTERNATIONAL NEWS EDITOR OF LA VANGUARDIA,
BARCELONA

3. AS WELL-KNOWN FORMER INFORMATION MINISTRY DIRECTOR
GENERAL OF POPULAR CULTURE AND HISTORIAN OF FRANCO REGIME
AND SPAIN, DE LA CIERVA PLAYS AN IMPORTANT LEADING ROLE
IN LEGAL OPPOSITION LIBERAL CIRCLES.
BECAUSE HE PRESENTLY HOLDS PROFESSORSHIP IN MODERN
HISTORY AND IS RISING POLITICAL FIGURE, HIS U.S. PROGRAM SHOULD
INCLUDE LARGE DOSES OF U.S. HISTORY, POLITICS, AND CULTURE.

4. HE ASKED INCLUDE VISITS TO WILLIAMSBURG,
YORKTOWN, BOSTON-CONCORD ON THE EAST COAST; SAN AUGUSTINE,
CAPE CANAVERAL, AND NEW ORLEANS IN THE SOUTH; AND SANTA
FE, SAN FRANCISCO, BERKELEY IN THE WEST.

POST SUGGESTS FOLLOWING PROGRAM:

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SEPT. 15 - 21: WASHINGTON OR NEW YORK BASED. ARRANGE PROGRAM

AND VISIT LIBRARY OF CONGRESS. ALSO TRAVEL
TO WILLIAMSBURG, BOSTON-CONCORD AND YORKTOWN.
HEAVY EMPHASIS SHOULD GO TOWARD HISTORICAL VIEW OF
AMERICAN POLITICS AND VISITS TO TOP UNIVERSITY
FACILITIES.

SEPT. 22 - 27: SAN AUGUSTINE AND NEW ORLEANS TO STUDY
SPANISH HERITAGE IN SOUTH.

SEPT. 28-OCT. 2: STOPOVERS AT UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
WHERE DE LA CIERVA CAN MEET WITH CLOSE FRIENDS,
HISTORIAN EDWARD MALEFAKIS, AND UNIVERSITY OF
WISCONSIN TO DO SAME WITH PROFESSOR STANLEY PAYNE.
IF POSSIBLE, HOME HOSPITALITY COULD BE PROGRAMMED
ALSO.

OCT. 2 -6: SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA TO VISIT STANFORD'S
HOOVER LIBRARY, UCBERKELEY, A SPANISH NEIGHBORHOOD,
CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS (SUCH AS JAPAN CENTER, CHINA-
TOWN, ETC. IN S.F.), FARMING COMMUNITY, AND
NATIONAL PARK.

5. DE LA CIERVA PROGRAM SHOULD BE FULLY SCHEDULED IN
MORNINGS WITH SOME AFTERNOON TIME FREE, THUS ALLOWING
HIM OPPORTUNITY TO REFLECT AND WRITE. LATE EVENINGS
CAN ALSO BE CONSIDERED GOOD PROGRAM TIME.

6. REQUEST AUTHORIZATION OF \$45.00 PER DIEM PER A-1159,
CATEGORY C. DE LA CIERVA WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY WIFE,
MERCEDES LORENTO SERRANO, AND WILL COVER ALL HER EXPENSES.
HE IS CLEARED AND WILL REQUIRE GUIDE-INTERPRETER.

7. BIO-DATA FOLLOWS:

FULL NAME: RICARDO DE LA CIERVA Y HOCES
PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH: MADRID, NOVEMBER 9, 1926
CITIZENSHIP: SPANISH
MAILING ADDRESS: AVDA. DEL GENERALISIMO, 47 - 10 DCHA.,
MADRID
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DOCTOR OF SCIENCES, UNIVERSITY OF MADRID - 1957
LICENCIADO (GRADUATE, PHILOSOPHY AND LETTERS,
UNIVERSITY OF MADRID - 1956
JOURNALIST (OFFICIAL SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM)
MADRID - 1967
GRADUATE OF PHILOSOPHY, UNIVERSIDAD GREGORIANA
OF ROME - 1954
PRESENT POSITION: PROFESSOR OF MODERN HISTORY,

UNIVERSITY OF SALAMANCA.MEMBER OF FEDISA
POLITICAL STUDY GROUP.

SIGNIFICANT POSITIONS HELD IN THE PAST: DIRECTOR
GENERAL OF POPULAR CULTURE, MINISTRY OF INFORMATION
AND TOURISM.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS: ORGANIZATION
OF CATEDRATICOS NUMERARIOS (FULL PROFESSORS) OF
SECONDARY EDUCATION INSTITUTES. TECNICOS OF
INFORMATION AND TOURISM ORGANIZATION.

PUBLICATIONS: BIBLIOGRAFIA GENERAL SOBRE LA GUERRA DE
ESPANA Y SUS ANTECEDENTES HISTORICOS, 1967
HISTORIA DE LA GUERRA CIVIL ESPANOLA, TOMO I. ANTE-
CEDENTES (1898-1936), MADRID, 1969.
HISTORIA ILUSTRADA DE LA GUERRA CIVIL ESPANOLA.
BARCELONA, 1971

LOS DOCUMENTOS DE LA PRIMAVERA TRAGICA, 1970
CEN LIBROS BASICOS SOBRE LA GUERRA DE ESPANA, 1966
IMPORTANCIA HISTORICA E HISTORIOGRAFIA DE LA GUERRA
ESPANOLA, MADRID 1967

ESPANA, DATOS PARA EL FUTURO, 1972
FRANCISCO FRANCO,UN SIGLO DE ESPANA, MADRID 1972-73
AND OTHER BOOKS ON HISTORYOF SPAIN THEMES.
HAS ALSO WRITTEN MANY ARTICLES, AND IS FOUNDER
AND COLLABORATOR OF HISTORIA Y VIDA REVIEW.

TRAVELS ABROAD: HE HAS TRAVELED EXTENSIVELY THROUGHOUT
EUROPE. SHORT TRIP TO THE U.S. TO ATTEND AN INTER-
NATIONAL MEETING ON HISTORY OF SPAIN, UNIVERSITY OF
WISCONSIN, 1972.

LAGUAGES: IN ADDITION TO NATIVE SPANISH,HE CAN
ALSO READ, WRITE AND SPEAK FRENCH. ALTHOUGH HE CAN
WRITE ENGLISH, HIS SPOKEN ENGLISH IS NOT
VERY GOOD.

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